## U.S. SUPREME COURT SOFT ON COMMUNISM

JUSTICE GOLDBERG'S LABOR RELATIONS RECORD SPEAKS FOR ITSELF

Arthur J. Goldberg is the former Secretary of Labor, whose appointment to the United States Supreme Court, in our opinion, was well planned, which will be evidenced by the information regarding his past.

The National Religion and Labor Foundation set up in 1932 at the instigation of the late Sidney Hillman (an identified communist), whose membership was composed of Marxian and Fabian Socialists, for the purpose of giving prestige of the church movement to the labor organizing hierarchy.

The foundation's letter-head carried about 50 names of Marxists, Socialists and Communists. It was forty-five members of this movement who signed a letter addressed to the late Franklin D. Roosevelt (at his invitation) in November 1935, urging him (according to the N. Y. Herald Tribune) "to socialize the country's resources, nationalize its basic industries, and build an inclusive union movement."

According to the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the House Committee on Un-American Activities, the NRLF was "one of the most vicious communist organizations ever set up in this country."

The NRLF won considerable notoriety by publishing on the cover of its official organ, "Economic Justice," Nov. 1932, a "wanted" circular which pictured Christ as an escaped criminal and implied by its text that every communist agitator was akin to Jesus Christ. It read:

"Reward for information leading to the apprehension of Jesus Christ, who is wanted for sedition, criminal anarchy, vagrancy, and conspiracy to overthrow the established government."

Among the National Religion and Labor Foundation members were:

Arthur J. Goldberg (now Supreme Court Justice), Sidney Hillman, Abraham Muste, Robert Weaver (negro, appointed by JFK as Federal Housing and Home Finance Administrator) Claude Williams and many others, too numerous to list.

All members of the National Committee of the National Religion and Labor Foundation have pro-communist records, some as many as 90 communist-front citations.

Their records are as follows:

Arthur J. Goldberg, member of a group whose executive head is an identified communist: member, Congress of Racial Equality (CORE); member; Fund for the Republic; was general counsel for the AFL-CIO; acted as counsel for the UAW.

Goldberg is identified in the ADL Bulletin, Jan. 1961, page 8, as a member of the Washington, D. C., Board of Directors of the Anti-FBI). Appendix 9 of the Special Committee on Un-American Activities, 1944, identifies him as President of the Chicago Chapter of the National Lawyers Guild at the time he sponsored the Chicago Conference on Race Relations, July 22, 1939, a cited Communistfront operation.

The National Lawyers Guild has been repeatedly cited not only as a Communistfront, but as the legal arm in the United States of the Communist Party. And Goldberg was President of its top chapter outside of New York (page 610)!

Goldberg was also a sponsor of the Washington, D.C., Conference on Constitutional Liberties in America, June 7-9, 1940, a cited Communist-front enterprise which launched the National Federation for Constitutional Liberties. At the time of the holding of this Conference, the Communist Party was working under the line determined by the Stalin-Hitler pact (page 651). He was a sponsor of the National Emergency Conference which REPLACED FRANKFURTER



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met in Washington, D.C. on May 13-14, 1939 to map plans of action against a number of bills in Congress which would require deportation of Communist aliens, enforce registration, fingerprinting, and imprisonment of Communists, etc. This was a cited front (page 1206).

In 1956 Goldberg was a member of the administrative committee of the National Civil Liberties Clearing House of Washington, D.C., the advisory board of which included Walter P. Reuther. Its treasurer at that time was Herman Edelsbergx, of the ADL; its vice-chairmen included Irving Fermant, of the cited Communist-front American Civil Liberties Union and John J. Gunther , of the Americans For Democratic Action, a Marxist political organization. Representatives from the National Conference of Christians and Jews, the American Jewish Congress and the NAACP were co-members of the administrative committee, along with a representative of the American Jewish Committee as Treasurer; Herman Edelsberg was Chairman and Kenneth Birkhead of the very pink American Veterans Committee was a new vice-chairman (See letterheads of NCLCH).

In 1957, Arthur J. Goldberg was a member of the executive board of the Religion and Labor Foundation, a cited front. Comembers of the board with Goldberg included Communist-fronters Henry Hitt Crane,

Jerome Davis, Benjamin Mays, A. Phillip Randolph, and others. (See program for April 24, 1957, Social Justice Award to Communist fronters Herbert Lehman and Martin Luther King.)

The Internal Security Sub-committee held hearings on "Interlocking Subversion in Government Departments" on May 19, 1953, Part 8, and during the testimony of one Charles Flato (pages 501-2) he swore that he had been sought out by Arthur Goldberg to do some writing assignments of pamphlets for the CIO in 1948 and 1949. He also declined to answer whether he was a member of the Communist Party during the period he worked for Goldberg.

The now Justice of the Supreme Court, Arthur J. Goldberg was a member of the board of directors of the Fund for the Republic as late as January 1961 and of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace in 1960. There is a wealth of material on the subversive nature of both organizations. Alger Hiss was president of the latter organ-

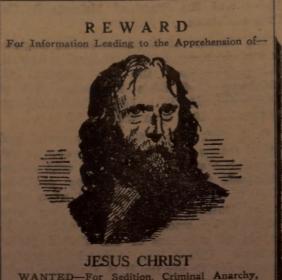
Goldberg has been the general counsel for the AFL-CIO, United Steel Workers of America, the ILGWU (Dave Dubinsky's union), the Textile Workers Union, the Transport Workers Union (Mike Quill), the American Newspaper Guild and others.

It was Mr. Goldberg who suggested and secured the appointment of at least four high union officials to top posts in the Department of Labor. Back in 1949 he had been the strategist behind the nation's longest and costliest steel strike, which lasted 116 days. And earlier in the forties he had been the chief of the division of the thoroughly communized Office of Strategic Services (OSS) which organized the labor underground activities behind enemy lines. Jacob S. Potofsky xx, of the CIO, a long-time Communist-fronter, had originally urged that Goldberg be hired as general counsel of the CIO.

Thus, for the first time in history, a man identified with big labor organizations, who had never been on the bench—Federal, state or local, is seated in the United States Supreme Court—replacing another Jew. Felix Frankfurter.

Sidney Hillman (born Schmuel Gilman), National Religion and Labor Foundation member, a Russian Rabbi with a long record of revolutionary activities in Russia and the United States; organizer of NRLF: member National Labor Advisory Board (under Roosevelt); member, Progressive Conference; director, Garland Fund; director, Russian-American Industrial Corporation; director, American Civil Liberties Union; member. Farmer Labor Party; President, Amalgamated Clothing Workers; member, International League for Peace; member, Labor's Non-Partisan League; and other Socialist

Abraham J. Muste, National Religion and Labor member, was executive-head of the Trotskyite communists; member, National Committee of the American Council on Militarism in Education; chairman, Conference for Progressive Labor Action: vice-president, Labor Age; member, Executive Committee, League for Independent Political Action; member, National Council, League for Industrial Democracy (formerly Inter-Collegiate Socialist Society); vice-president, Pioneer Youth of America; member, National Committee, War Resisters League; contributing editor, World Tomorrow; vice-chairman, Fellowship of Reconciliation: member. Committee on Labor Injunctions; member, New York Committee for Progressive Miners Relief; representative, Conference for Progressive Labor Action in Continental Congress for Economic Reconstruction; member,



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Dresses poorly, said to be a carpenter by trade, ill-nourished, has visionary ideas, associates with common working people, the unemployed and bums. Alien—believed to be a Jew—ALIAS 'Prince of Peace,' Son of Man', 'Light of the World' &c. &c. Professional Agitator, Red Beard, marks on hands and feet the result of injuries inflicted by an angry mob led by respectable citizens and legal authorities.

(Actual reproduction of "wanted" circular)